

## Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAR. 13, 1895.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

Sun rises to-morrow at 6:06; and sets at 6:54. High water 10:17 a. m. and 10:36 p. m.

**WEATHER PROBABILITIES.**—For this section threatening weather and rain, followed by clearing weather Thursday afternoon, slightly warmer Thursday morning, much colder Thursday night, and probably a cold wave, southeasterly winds, shifting to northwesterly.

**THE RACE TRACK.**—The book programme for the first six days of the Virginia Jockey Club's spring meeting is out. There will be six races daily for purses of \$250 each, of which \$200 will go to the winner. Trainers and jockeys who intend to take part in this meeting and who have not as yet taken out their licenses should apply at the headquarters of the Jockey Club at once. Mr. McIntyre has told all those with whom he has come in contact, but there are a number of trainers and jockeys who have not as yet complied with the regulations of the Jockey Club, under whose rules the meeting at St. Asaph will be conducted. On the opening day there will be a dash at five furlongs for all ages, a dash at six furlongs for three-year-olds, to carry 115 pounds, and a selling race at one mile for three-year-olds and upward; a sprint at half a mile for two-year-olds, a dash of a mile for three-year-olds and upward, non-winners of \$1,000 in 1894, and a sprint at six furlongs for three-year-olds and upward, selling allowances.

**DEATH OF AN OLD LADY.**—Mrs. Lucy A. Armstrong, widow of the late John T. Armstrong, died at the residence of her son, Mr. A. W. Armstrong, in this city, this morning, after a long illness, aged 80 years. She was the daughter of the late Thomas Lynch, of Green's Rest, St. Mary's county, Md., who was the grand nephew of Thomas Lynch, the youngest signer of the Declaration of Independence, and she was directly descended from one of the colonists families which came to Maryland with Lord Baltimore from Galway, Ireland. On her mother's side she was a descendant of John Coad, who was prominent among the early colonists of Maryland. Her brothers, Col. George Lynch, of Alabama, and Prof. John S. Lynch, dean of the college of physicians and surgeons, of Baltimore, served with distinction in the Confederate army. A son and four daughters survive her. Mrs. Armstrong was of a gentle and affectionate disposition, and at her death was surrounded by her children to whose welfare her long life had been devoted.

**TAPPING SEWERS.**—On December 13, 1893, Councilman Kraft introduced and had passed a resolution instructing the City Surveyor and Superintendent of Police to ascertain and report what sewers built by the city had been tapped and by whom. A report was subsequently made showing that the different sewers had been tapped at libitum. To make those who were benefited pay for the privilege, Mr. Kraft prepared and Council passed on January 22 last an ordinance requiring the payment of certain amounts in the city treasury by March 25, 1895, for every house that emptied into or used the sewers. The first payment was made to-day by Maj. W. S. Greene, of north Washington street, \$50, and the first money, so far as known, paid into the city treasury for tapping a public sewer.

**THE ALEXANDRIA DIRECTORY.**—Richmond & Co.'s new directory is now being delivered to all those who ordered it during the past month. The book is a wonderful improvement over the last issue, and contains among other things a map of the city, list of post-offices in Virginia, residents of New Alexandria, West End, St. Elmo, and Del Ray. It will be pleasing to the public to know that this directory has 106 pages more than the last one, and that there is a gain of about 2100 names. The book is a fine specimen of its kind, and those who have not subscribed for it should secure a copy at once. Our business men know a good thing when they see it, and in the future will subscribe to Richmond's Directory.

**PERSONAL.**—The Charlottesville Progress says: Mrs. R. L. Wilkins, of the University, went to Alexandria Tuesday to visit her mother.

Mr. J. Johnstone Green continues quite sick at his home on south Fairfax street.

Miss McCoy, who has been visiting Miss Wise on Seminary Hill, has returned to Baltimore.

Miss Bettie Smoot is visiting friends on Seminary Hill.

Rev. Father Cutler is in Richmond.

**BUILDING.**—Mr. T. J. Fannon will erect a brick building at the northwest corner of Duke and Henry streets on the site of the old frame building now standing there.

Messrs. Fisher Bros. are adding to their large wholesale building at the corner of King and Lee streets.

Mr. S. L. Monroe contemplates the erection of a brick dwelling on Prince street between Alfred and Patrick.

**ROYAL ARCADE.**—At a regular meeting last night of Alexandria Council, Royal Arcade, one member was initiated and two applications for membership were received. A gavel, made from a piece of old bedstead which came from Mount Vernon, was presented to the council by three of the members. The Grand Lodge will meet in Staunton on the 26th.

**U. R. K. of P.**—Rathbone Division, U. R. K. of P., met night and elected the following officers: Captain, George King; 1st Lieutenant, C. O. Sipple; 2d Lieutenant, R. Roland; Recorder, M. Boyer; Treasurer, V. C. Moore; Sentinel, E. W. Armistead.

Adjutant A. F. Cox will install the newly elected officers at the next meeting.

The Southern railway reports for January gross earnings of \$1,496,296, a decrease of \$15,860; expenses \$1,043,740, a decrease of \$21,810, and net \$452,556, an increase of \$5,950; and for seven months to January 31, gross \$10,242,436, an increase of \$515,069; expenses \$6,690,015, a decrease of \$27,399; and net \$3,552,420, an increase of \$542,465.

Golden Light Lodge of Good Templars held a box party last night which was numerously attended, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The guessing contest was won by Miss Annie Lucas.

## CITY COUNCIL.

There was a two hours' session of the City Council last night. The proceedings attracted no special interest and spectators were scarce. The Common Council debated and amended the ordinance providing for the creation of the office of building inspector and passed an ordinance for testing the validity of the 33d section of the city charter respecting street improvements.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

There was nothing whatever savoring of debate in the Board of Aldermen and the business, which was mostly of a routine nature, was quickly dispatched. Most of their time was consumed in recesses while awaiting papers from the lower board.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

The Common Council held its regular meeting last night. Mr. James R. Caton was elected president pro tem.

The board took up on its second reading the ordinance heretofore reported to create the office of building inspector and to establish building regulations.

During the reading of the ordinance the president appeared and took his seat.

The building inspector bill continuing as the special order.

Mr. Uhler moved to amend by striking out the section which required concrete floors to all basements. It would be an unnecessary expense.

Mr. Kraft said this was intended as a sanitary precaution, and was the rule in Washington and all other cities.

Mr. Uhler pointed out a number of dwellings in Alexandria whose basements had no concrete, and were yet quite dry.

Mr. Caton thought that the section was a good one; for many cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever grew out of insanitary cellars. He moved to amend by making the section depend on the order of the building inspector so that it would be forced only when necessary. This was agreed to.

When the section requiring a fire proof roof on all buildings on which one-third of the roof needs repairing came up.

Mr. Caton thought that this provision might work great hardship to poor people who owned their own dwellings and might be able to make repairs of shingle roofs, yet not able to put on a fire proof roof.

Mr. Evans said that a tin roof, or a slate roof laid on wood, would not be an incombustible roof, but he did not desire to offer any amendments as he intended to vote against the whole thing. He thought the law was gotten up from somebody's specifications.

Mr. Fannon asked if this law applied to stables.

The chair said it applied to all buildings.

Mr. Thompson moved to amend so as not to require a brick or stone foundation to houses which cost less than two hundred dollars.

When the section which requires fire-proof walls between frame houses in rows came up.

Mr. Caton suggested that as all the houses within the fire limits must be hereafter of brick the section in regard to frame houses would only apply outside the limits.

Mr. Kraft said that in fact we have no fire limits. Every one who wanted to put up a frame house within the fire limits was permitted by council to do so. He would never vote for these permits.

Mr. Snowden said that he wished that some provision could be made to prevent the extension of fire in frame rows.

It was finally agreed that in rows of frame houses a fire-proof wall should be erected between alternate houses.

Considerable debate took place on the fee for the inspector of houses.

Pending the discussion, Mr. Kraft rose to a privileged question and asked unanimous consent to offer a resolution. The consent having been given he introduced an order that Mr. D. W. Whiting be denied the privileges of the floor.

He said that Mr. Whiting had just approached himself and Mr. Kaus in the Council and said he was a—d, or words to that effect, if he would vote for Councilmen who supported the building inspection bill.

After a short interval, during which Mr. Strider moved to lay the resolution on the table, and it having been suggested to Mr. Kraft that the mere offering of the order would accomplish the result desired, the order was withdrawn and business proceeded.

[Mr. Whiting states that he was not profane and that he desired not to be a—d, but to be blamed, if he ever voted for a supporter of the building inspection bill; and further that he had no intention of insulting any member of Council.]

Mr. Evans said the bill would do more to retard building in Alexandria than any measure which had ever been before the Council. This Council could do almost everything but it could not repeal the constitution of the State. The constitution of the State forbade any one person to hold two offices in cities and yet this bill gave the City Engineer a second office—that of Building Inspector. He wanted a vote now.

After further discussion the ordinance was completed with many amendments, and it was ordered that it be published and made the order of business directly after the reports of committees at the next meeting of the Board.

Mr. Uhler presented an ordinance, which was adopted, directing suit to be brought against the Violet estate to recover the amount due for paving, etc. He said this account had been selected as it embraced all points that might be raised as to the right of the city to do work and collect for such work done under the 33d section of the city charter.

Mr. T. S. Rouse was released from the lease of the property near the canal outlet lock belonging to the city.

Mr. Kraft presented an ordinance granting permission to the Occoquan-Woodbridge Telephone Company to erect poles and establish an exchange in this city, which was referred.

There are no unusual features accompanying the opening of the fishing season upon the Potomac river. Years ago there were nearly one hundred fishing shores on the Potomac. In 1867 the number had fallen to forty-two. According to the report of Fish Commissioner McDonald the number was reduced in 1873 to twenty-eight. This diminution has continued and the present number of fisheries is only ten. There are innumerable stake nets in the river, however.

In the Corporation Court to-day a certificate of character was granted Mr. J. B. Power to enable him to undergo examination for practicing law in that court.

## THE SCHOOLFIELD MEETINGS.

The largest audience of the series of meetings greeted Mr. Schoolfield last night in the M. E. Church South. The meeting opened as usual with a service of song and prayer, after which the congregation united in singing the old hymn, "Come thou fount." Mr. Schoolfield notified the members of the church that there was held a morning service at 11 o'clock each day, he thought they had overlooked the fact. He then announced the subject of his talk for the evening, "Prayer and Confession," taking for his text the 59th chapter of Isaiah, 1st to 4th verses. In the course of his remarks, which lasted for about an hour, and thought by many to be the best of the meetings, he held the audience as if spellbound, and said: "There is no more important duty than prayer. It is more talked about, less understood, and surely less used in its true sense than any other. Show me a praying church and I will show you a working church. Give me truly praying Christians in this community and we will overturn it for Christ; you may think this a strange saying but nevertheless it is true. Mere saying prayers night and morning, and some don't do that, is no more praying than going to a hotel and reading the bill of fare is eating one's dinner. If I put my hand on the heart of a man and feel no throb, I say he is dead. If I put my finger to-night on the heart of the church, and all is silent, there is no agonizing prayer for the power of God on the community, what does it mean? It means that it is a dead church. Effectual prayer is coupled with conditions and no prayer is effectual until these conditions are met. First, we must be in earnest, so many lies are told in prayer. I think that oftentimes what we call prayer is a downright insult to God. Second, we must ask for something definite—for just what we want and not get discouraged because our prayer is not answered immediately and exactly as we think it should be. We formulate an address to the audience and I believe offer to the audience than to God. You say your prayers are not answered. What is the trouble? Suppose you have a telegram to send to Richmond. You go to the office and they tell you they cannot get the message through. They send out to find the cause. The line is down in the mire. Further on a tree has fallen across it and then a rock is found on the line. The line is put up, the tree and rock removed and the message goes through all right and the answer is returned. That is the trouble with us. The line is down between us and God, covered up in the mire of sin and worldliness and these must be removed before our prayers can be answered. Pride will shut you off, and your pride must be humbled before you can gain access to God. Many a man has gotten into church with some secret sin and pride which prevents him from coming out and confessing. Again a man goes to the Lord and that (holding up a dollar to the audience) keeps him from God; the dollar, I fear, comes between many in this house to night and the light. There are more people worshipping the golden calf in the world to-day than there were in the wilderness. Again some allow the drink to come between them and God. Do you think anyone could go to the bar, take a drink and then kneel down and pray? No; that wire must be up." The speaker also touched on the sin of dancing, theatre going and visiting the race track. He said: "If you cannot gain access to the mercy seat some sin is standing between you and your God. Some have been neglecting their Christian duties and the sin of omission will carry them to perdition just as sure as commission. Oh for a baptism of common sense and common honesty in religion. (Mr. Carson said amen to this in his quiet way and Mr. Schoolfield smilingly said, "Why don't you say it out loud?") If you are going to the horse races, as a church member you have stolen the liver of God to cover your sins. 3d, Our motive must be right. 4th, Obedience. God will not hear the prayer of a disobedient people as long as they keep on in their disobedience. I thank God he came to save sinners and not the good enough. David was a backslider, and only came back after confessing. Sinner, if you would have David's blessing to-night, make his prayer (the 51st Psalm) yours. It is a hard matter to get a man to confess his sins and has been so ever since Adam excused his sin by blaming it on the woman and then on God. If you have not been living right confess it to-night. I know it requires grace and grit to do it, but get right up here and say so and you will receive the blessing. If your sin is only between you and your God, confessing to him is sufficient, but if you have sinned publicly and against some one else you must come out boldly and confess publicly, to that one so far as in your power." The invitation was responded to by a few persons, one coming to the altar and kneeling for prayers and the congregation was dismissed, the quiet manner in which they went out showing that they were surely under the Spirit better than anything they might have said.

The services at eleven o'clock this morning were well attended and much enjoyed by the congregation. Mr. Schoolfield's address was on humility. His text was taken from the Book of Proverbs, 15th chapter and 13th verse—"Before honor is humility." He spoke of the life of Paul and what it cost him to be a Christian, and referred to the fact that through much tribulations we enter the kingdom of God.

**C. P. C. TIMBERMANN.**  
The American Druggist says: This young gentleman is the winner of the first prize in the Quiz contest of our last volume. He is a native of Fairfax county, Va., where he was born in 1878. His parents removed to Alexandria, Va., in 1885, and he graduated from the public schools of that city. In 1892 he took his first lessons in practical pharmacy in the store of Edgar Warfield, Jr., and after remaining there for nearly two years he entered the employ of C. J. W. Summers, with whom he is at present engaged. Mr. Timbermann has been a student of our Quiz Box since it was first inaugurated over a year ago, and writes concerning it as follows:

"Your Quiz Box series has not only been of benefit to me in aiding my general intellectual development, but has been the means of making me better acquainted with the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, U. S. Dispensatory and all the books on pharmacy in my reach."

A large number of new stables are being erected at the St. Asaph track. Dock Stuart's horses have arrived at the track and other horses are arriving daily.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Eight lodgers were at the station house last night.

The tug Templar is receiving her regular spring overhauling.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

Mr. Cranford, a well-known old resident of Fairfax county, died at his home near Lorton yesterday.

H. D. Moore has sold to Wheat & Suter a lot in the rear of the corner of Prince and Union streets.

On Monday the remains of the Rev. E. R. McGregor, who died at Ballston, were buried at Georgetown.

Messrs. Harlow & Co. to-day sold for Mr. C. M. Adam a house and lot at the northeast corner of Pitt and Franklin streets to Mrs. E. H. Reed.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to John C. Duerson, of Spottsylvania county, and Emma Cox, of Stafford county.

Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows met last night and elected one member. Mr. Charles Rauch was elected secretary in place of Mr. F. M. Weadon, resigned.

It is understood that the position of road supervisor of the Washington Southern Railway, filled by the late Capt. Goudie, is to be filled by the appointment of Mr. George H. Brown, of Washington.

Rev. R. S. Castleman, rector of the Falls Church and Herndon Episcopal churches, and a Brotherhood man, will address the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, chapters of Alexandria and vicinity at Grace Church to-night at 7.30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Under an attachment sworn out by Jockey Dorsey, the stable belonging to Benjamin Rosenheimer was sold in the paddock of the Old Dominion Jockey Club yesterday evening. Patsy Brannigan bought Equal for \$36, and G. W. Prest gave \$42.50 for Princess Marie.

Rev. Father Tierney, of Falls Church, preached an able and interesting sermon at St. Mary's Church last night before an unusually large congregation. His text was, "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whose confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy."

Collector of Revenue Sheppard, of this district, was at the department in Washington yesterday, and reported that his division deputies are making their returns as rapidly as possible, and that he anticipates no delay whatever in the collection of the income tax in his part of the State.

The Circuit Court for this city, Judge Nicol, will meet on Monday next.

**All Free.**  
Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. For sale at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' Drug Store.

**"A Word to the Wise is Sufficient."**  
I suffered terribly from roaring in my head during an attack of catarrh, and became very deaf, used Ely's Cream Balm and in three weeks could hear as well as ever.—A. E. Newman, Graling, Mich.

One of my children had a very bad discharge from the nose. Physicians prescribed without benefit. After using Ely's Cream Balm a short time the disease was cured.—O. A. Cary, Corning, N. Y.

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents.

**Parties** who intend to build would do well to call on Smoot & Co., corner of Cameron and Union streets, as they are selling Building Material and Mill Work cheaper than ever. They make a special discount to contractors and builders.

**LOST.**  
LOST—On Tuesday night, March 5th—A GOLD LOCKET, from a watch chain, with monogram on one side. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to this office.

**WE HAVE THEM.**  
THE LARGEST LINE OF  
5, 10, 25 AND 50 CENT NOVELS.

—ALSO—  
THE NEW DIRECTORY,  
(A Good One This Time.)  
All should have one.  
Call and examine it, \$2.  
S. F. DYSON & BRO.,  
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**PROPOSALS.**  
Certain repairs and alterations to and about property owned by the city will be made by the Committee on Public Property. Although the work is limited bids will be received by the undersigned until THURSDAY, March 21st, for repairing the Market Building, walls, roof, etc. For alterations and repairs to the Treasurer's Office and repairing, painting, etc., of the Columbia Engine House.

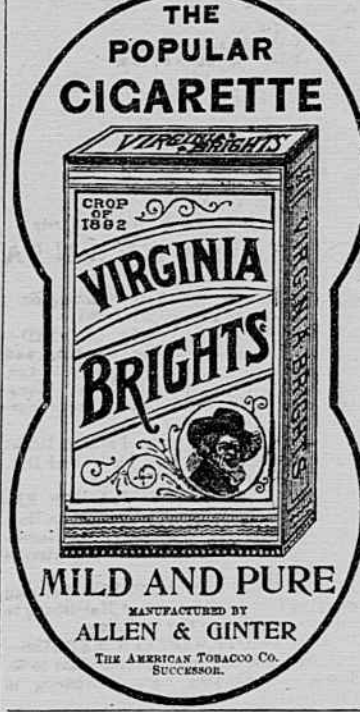
The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids and plans. Information will be furnished by  
EDW. S. LEADBEATER,  
Chairman of Committee on Public Property.  
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**FOR SALE.**  
THREE NEW FIVE-ROOM FRAME HOUSES on West street. Will sell on small cash payments and monthly installments for the deferred payments bearing 6 per cent interest; or can obtain the whole amount from a Building and Loan Association.  
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DEALERS IN  
Fresh and Salted Fish,  
Are receiving Fish daily from the shores of the Potomac, and will supply customers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted, by experienced packers.  
Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.  
Our brand of BARBELED FISH has always stood No. 1 in the market.  
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DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,  
FURNISHING GOODS,  
HOSIERY, &c.  
can be bought, First Class, at the LOWEST PRICES to be found anywhere,  
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A. C. SLAYMAKER'S,  
Successor to  
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**Woodward & Lothrop.**  
10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

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An All-over-the-house  
**SPECIAL SALE.**

A collection of useful, practical and seasonal articles of more than ordinary excellence, marked lower than they can possibly be bought for elsewhere.

**LACE CURTAINS.**  
Irish Point, 3 yards long, 43 inches wide. Special price, \$1.60 pair.

**BAMBOO TABLES.**  
Pine top. Special price, 25c.

**WOMEN'S SPRING CAPES.**  
Strictly all wool, full tailor made. Regularly \$12.50. Special price, \$6.75.

**WOMEN'S MACKINTOSHES.**  
All wool cravenette. Regularly \$15.00. Special price, \$12.50.

**MISSIES LONG CLOAKS.**  
Size 4 to 12 years. Special price, \$5.

**WOMEN'S PIQUE GLOVES.**  
4-button. Special price, \$1.

**"SANITARY" BLANKETS.**  
Gray, 11-4 size. Special price, \$3.50 pair.

**VICTORIA LAWN.**  
40-inches wide. Special price, 15c yard.

**HOT WATER BOTTLES.**  
Rubber. Special price, 50c and 62c.

**TEA CLOTHS.**  
Stamped linen. Special price, 25c and 30c.

**STEEL SPOONS.**  
Sterling silver. Special price, half dozen, \$2.90.

**TABLE TUMBLERS.**  
Pressed glass. Special price, 2c.

**CELEBY DISHES.**  
Special price, 25c.

**REFRIGERATORS.**  
Belding's "New Perfection." Special price, \$5.95.

**DRESS TRUNKS.**  
Special price, \$2.75.

**JAPANESE WASH SILK.**  
Corded stripe; 20-inch, 22" and 30c yard.

**MEN'S TIES.**  
Flowing and Knots and Graduated Four-inches. Regularly \$1.50. Special price, \$1.

**ALL-WOOL DRESS GOODS.**  
Fancies in this season's styles. Special price, 25c yard.

**BLACK HENRIETTA.**  
All wool, 45 inches wide. Regularly 50c. Special price, 40c yard.

**PRINTED LAWN.**  
38 to 40 inches wide. Special price 10c yard.

**IMITATION HAIRCLOTH.**  
Looks like the real. Special price, 25c yd.

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Lisle thread, plain, Richelieu ribbed and boot patterns. Special price, 25c pair.

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Fast black cotton, double heels and toes. Special price, 0 pairs for \$1.00.

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LENTEN SERVICES,  
EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT 7.30  
—AT—

**GRACE CHURCH,**  
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Preacher, March 13th,  
Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN,  
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(Formerly with Herbert Bryant.)  
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Nos. 115 and 117 North Royal Street,  
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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

**FRESH EGGS**  
Only 15c per dozen, at  
ANDERSON'S,  
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E. M. ANDERSON,  
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**WE HAVE** just received a spring assortment of very fine grade of KID GLOVES which we guarantee to give satisfaction.  
Successor to Amos B. Slaymaker.

**A FEW** numbers, 52, 61, 64 of our old stock \$1.00 KID GLOVES, in black, we will sell at 50c.  
A. C. SLAYMAKER,  
Successor to Amos B. Slaymaker.

**RECEIVED** to-day NEW BERMUDA POTATOES and ONIONS. For sale by  
B. H. JENKINS.

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## A SPECIAL BARGAIN

## FINE LINENS.

We have just placed on sale forty fine damask table cloth, subject to very slight manufacturers' imperfections. The defects are so slight as to be difficult to find, and there is only one slight imperfection in each cloth. The prices are just about two-thirds of the actual value of the goods. The patterns are choice and exclusive. This is a rare chance to obtain a really choice cloth at a nominal cost.

We offer in addition to these cloths six patterns in choice damask by the yard. Price \$1, fully 25 to 33 per ct. under actual value.

Our Mattings are now open for sale, and we have never offered such good values. The goods are all jointless and the prices but a trifle more than the cheap-joined goods.

Special attention is called to the exhibit of choice cotton warp and inlaid mattings.

—ONE PRICE.—

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